

HITS - Exhibit D

BUY AMERICA CERTIFICATION

(To be signed by authorized signatory(ies) of Developer)

The undersigned certifies on behalf of itself and all proposed subcontractors that only domestic steel and iron will be used in the Project.

- A. To be considered domestic, all steel and iron used and all products manufactured from steel and iron must be produced in the United States and all manufacturing processes, including application of a coating, for these materials must occur in the United States. Coating includes all processes which protect or enhance the value of the material to which the coating is applied. This requirement does not preclude a minimal use of foreign steel and iron materials, provided the cost of such materials does not exceed 0.1% of the Price.
- B. A false certification is a criminal act in violation of 18 U.S.C. 1001. Should this DBA be investigated, Proposer has the burden of proof to establish that it is in compliance.
- C. At Proposer's request, the City of Houston may, but is not obligated to, see a waiver of Buy American requirements if grounds for the waiver exist. However, Proposer certifies that it will comply with the applicable Buy American requirements if a waiver of those requirements is not available or not pursued by the City of Houston. The Developer, as part of the DBA, will be required to sign the City of Houston "Bidder's Certification of Compliance with Buy America Program" certificate Document 00456.

Date: _____, 2016

Signature

Title